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**Application of:** Jerussi *et al.*

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**Application No.:** 09/987,930

**Group Art Unit:** 1614

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**Examiner:** V. Kim

**For:** METHODS OF TREATING  
AND PREVENTING AFFECTIVE  
DISORDERS USING BUPROPION  
METABOLITES

**Attorney Docket No.:** 4821-438-999  
(JD 208423-999437)

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated March 12, 2007,  
Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for entry into the record  
and consideration by the Examiner. Also submitted herewith is a Request for  
Continued Examination, with provision for the required fee.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that  
begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.